

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

FEBRUARY 3, 1871.

Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

AN ACT

To amend an act entitled "An act to require the holding of additional district and circuit courts of the United States in the district of Indiana, and for other purposes," approved June thirty, eighteen hundred and seventy, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That section seven of the act aforesaid be, and the same is
4 hereby, amended by adding thereto the following additional
5 proviso: *And provided further,* That a deputy clerk for
6 each of said additional courts shall be appointed in the man-
7 ner aforesaid as soon as practicable after the passage of this
8 act, and that such deputy clerks for the additional courts
9 to be held at New Albany shall reside and keep an office at
10 said city, and that such deputy clerks for the additional courts
11 to be held at Evansville shall reside and keep an office at
12 said city, and that they shall respectively keep at said place
13 full records of all actions and proceedings in said additional
14 courts respectively, and shall have the same power to issue

15 all process from said additional courts that is now enjoyed
16 by the clerks of other district and circuit courts of the United
17 States in like cases.

1 SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That all actions over
2 which said district and circuit courts have jurisdiction re-
3 spectively under existing laws may be instituted in said addi-
4 tional district and circuit courts respectively in the first in-
5 stance by filing the proper pleadings or other papers in the
6 offices of the deputy clerks performing the duties of clerks of
7 said courts respectively, and that all proper and lawful pro-
8 cess shall issue therefrom in the same manner as from other
9 district or circuit courts of the United States in like ac-
10 tions, cases, or proceedings.

Passed the House of Representatives February 2, 1871.

Attest :

EDWARD McPHERSON, *Clerk.*